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Decals no longer needed on vehicles

Sept. 29, 2011 -- Under a policy that goes into effect Oct. 13, a Department of Defense sticker is no longer required for motorists entering Carlisle Barracks.

The Department of the Army mandated change will allow visitors to drive to the vehicle access point off of Claremont Road, show a driver's license and enter the post after receiving a visitor's pass. The elimination of decals will also produce a significant cost savings for the Department of Defense in production costs.

Effects of the policy change:

What stays the same:

- Non-DoD ID Cardholders still need to have visitor passes issued by the security guards.
- Requirement to register golf carts and ATVs used by Carlisle Barracks employees will remain in effect and occur at the Police Station.
- All non-DoD ID Cardholders visitors must enter Carlisle Barracks via the Claremont Road Gate.
- Army Community Services will continue to issue Gold Star Family Decals.
- Carlisle Barracks will continue Motorcycle Registration and issue DoD sticker to validate MSF Safety Card requirement.
- The Ashburn Drive gate (Route 11) will be open only to DoD card holders for entrance.

What changes:

- Entry onto Carlisle Barracks for DoD ID Cardholders is based solely on presentation of DoD ID Card.
- Security guards will no longer look for current DoD Decals on windshields.
- Carlisle Barracks decals may be removed, but bear in mind that not all military installations have adopted this new policy

The vehicle registration office will close on Oct. 13. Weapons and motorcycles will now need to be registered at the police station.

This new policy is already in effect at Fort Benning, and other Air Force and Navy installations.

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